

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE DIVISION[645]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 154C.4, the Board of Social Work hereby amends Chapter 283, "Discipline for Social Workers," Iowa Administrative Code.

The amendment clarifies that conviction of a crime includes when the judgment of conviction or sentence was deferred. In addition, the proposed amendment changes the word "felony" to "crime" to be consistent with Iowa Code chapter 147 requirements.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin as **ARC 9596B** on July 13, 2011. A public hearing was held on August 10, 2011, in the Fifth Floor Board Conference Room, Lucas State Office Building. No public comments were received. This amendment is identical to that published under Notice.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs has been found.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapters 21, 147, 154C and 272C.

This amendment will become effective February 1, 2012.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend subrule 283.2(11) as follows:

283.2(11) Conviction of a ~~felony~~ crime related to the profession or occupation of the licensee or the conviction of any ~~felony~~ crime that would affect the licensee's ability to practice ~~social work~~ within the profession, regardless of whether the judgment of conviction or sentence was deferred. A copy of the record of conviction or plea of guilty shall be conclusive evidence.

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